SHERIFF'S EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM

Selected Job Descriptions and Responsibilities

SERT Commander

Holds the rank of deputy sheriff sergeant or above and possesses desirable leadership qualities in addition to the minimum qualifications for RRT members. Responsibilities include developing, implementing, monitoring, and recording training to insure that the team is in compliance with the Sheriff's Emergency Response Team Training Policy. Monitors safety measures. Has expert knowledge in contingency plans. Has the ability to work with other teams and agencies. Has a working knowledge of resources available to the team. Is responsible for the overall performance and demeanor of the team. The abilities of the SERT Commander clearly have an effect on the success of the team. The SERT Commander must hold the respect of the team members and be willing to set the example.

Assistant SERT Commander

Must be a deputy sheriff sergeant or above. Performs the same tasks and has the same qualities, abilities and commitment to the team as the SERT Commander. Assumes command in the absence of the SERT Commander.

Squad Response Team Leaders

The SRT Leader's responsibilities include the expert knowledge of approved squad tactical operations, full knowledge of contingency plans, the monitoring of safety measures and the ability to work with other teams. The SRT Leader will also assist the SERT Commander in ensuring that his/her team is in compliance with the Sheriff's Emergency Response Team Training Policy. The SRT Leader should have desirable leadership qualities, hold the respect of the team members and be willing to set the example.

RRT Members

Are knowledgeable in Sheriff's Office Standard Operating Procedures, proficient in the use of all authorized firearms and possess a willingness to learn. Strive toward improving the team and the agency's ability to respond.

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